

Meeting Minutes – Unified Sports Committee

Location: Arena's Milford, DE

Date: Monday, July 10, 2017

Time: 5:00-6:30pm

Attendees: Bob Beron, Gary Cimaglia, Kylie Frazer, Kevin Kelly, Jerry Kobosa, Chris Muscara, Tommie Neubauer, and Lance Skinner

Agenda Items

I. Opening

a. Call to Order

- i. The meeting was called to order at 5:15p.m. by chairperson Gary Cimaglia.

b. Approval of Agenda

- i. Jerry Kobosa made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Tommie Neubauer and carried unanimously.

c. Approval of Minutes of May 22, 2017 DIAA Unified Sports Committee meeting

- i. Kevin Kelly made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Chris Muscara and carried unanimously.

II. Discussion Items

a. Next Steps for Approved DIAA Regulation Changes

- i. Tommie Neubauer will submit Unified Sports Committee to be added to regulation 1006-3.2
- ii. Tommie Neubauer will submit approved definition of Unified Sports to Rules and Regulations committee to be added to 1009-1.0

b. The major impacts (transportation and coaching cost) on schools were discussed. It was determined that SODE will continue to cover the cost of necessary equipment, officials and marketing material (banner, patches, etc.).

- i. Committee started to discuss what schools need to do to identify their sustainability plan to ensure Unified Sports teams are treated just like all other athletic team.

- c. It was proposed that SODE would present at both the New Castle County and Henlopen Conference Athletic Director meetings, as well as approach Dr. Fitzgerald and/or Dr. Dougherty regarding presenting at the Chief Officers Meeting.
- d. Upon the completion of the pilot Unified Basketball season, a Unified game will take place during the quarterfinals of the girls' basketball tournament.

III. Adjournment

- a. The meeting adjourned at 6:40p.m.